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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

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1. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:

displaying with a device a status of a plurality of consumables in the of a peripheral device and information about ordering at least one of the consumables when at least one condition occurs;

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monitoring, with the <u>peripheral</u> device, for an input indicating that an order for the at least one of the consumables has been placed; and

submitting, with the <u>peripheral</u> device, the order for the at least one of the consumable to a supplier if the monitored input indicates an order should be placed.

- 2. (Original) The method as set forth in claim 1 wherein the at least one condition is receipt by the device of a request for at least one of the status of the consumables and the information about ordering the at least one of the consumables.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method as set forth in claim 1 wherein the at least one condition is an indication in the <u>peripheral</u> device that replacement of the at least one of the consumables is recommended based on at least one criterion.
- 4. (Original) The method as set forth in claim 1 further comprising confirming the order before the submitting of the order.
- 5. (Currently Amended) The method as set forth in claim 1 further comprising: processing the order for the at least one of the consumables, wherein the processing comprises retrieving information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order, and

supplying the at least one of the consumables based on the processed order.

6. (Original) The method as set forth in claim 5 further comprising determining a distribution of at least a portion of the payment based on the retrieved information.

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- 7. (Currently Amended) The method as set forth in claim 6 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device and wherein the determining the distribution allocates the at least a portion of the payment to the identified retailer.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium having stored thereon instructions for ordering at least one consumable for a <u>peripheral</u> device which when executed by a processor, causes the processor to perform the steps of:

displaying with a device a status of a plurality of consumables in of the peripheral device and information about ordering at least one of the consumables when at least one condition occurs;

monitoring, with the <u>peripheral</u> device, for an input indicating that an order for the at least one of the consumables has been placed; and

submitting, with the <u>peripheral</u> device, the order for the at least one of the consumable to a supplier if the monitored input indicates an order should be placed.

- 9. (Original) The medium as set forth in claim 8 wherein the at least one condition is receipt of a request for at least one of the status of the at least one of the consumables and the information about ordering the at least one of the consumables.
- 10. (Previously Presented) The medium as set forth in claim 8 wherein the at least one condition is an indication that replacement of the at least one of the consumables is recommended based on at least one criterion.
- 11. (Original) The medium as set forth in claim 8 further comprising confirming the order before the submitting of the order.
- 12. (Currently Amended) The medium as set forth in claim 8 further comprising: processing the order for the at least one of the consumables, wherein the processing comprises retrieving information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order; and

supplying the at least one of the consumables based on the processed order.

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13. (Original) The medium as set forth in claim 12 further comprising determining a distribution of at least a portion of the payment based on the retrieved information.

- 14. (Currently Amended) The medium as set forth in claim 13 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device and wherein the determining the distribution allocates the at least a portion of the payment to the identified retailer.
 - 15. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a display system that displays a status of a plurality of consumables for a <u>peripheral</u> device and information about ordering at least one of the consumables when at least one condition occurs;

a monitoring system with the <u>peripheral</u> device that monitors for an input indicating that an order for the at least one of the consumables has been placed; and

an ordering system with the <u>peripheral</u> device that submits the order for the at least one of the consumables to a supplier if the monitored input indicates an order should be placed.

- 16. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 15 wherein the at least one condition is receipt by the <u>peripheral</u> device of a request for at least one of the status of the at least one of the consumables and the information about ordering the at least one of the consumables.
- 17. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 15 wherein the at least one condition is an indication in the <u>peripheral</u> device that replacement of the at least one of the consumables is recommended based on at least one criterion.
- 18. (Original) The system as set forth in claim 15 further comprising a confirmation system that confirming the order before the submitting of the order by the ordering system.
 - 19. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 15 further comprising:

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an order processing system that processes the order for the at least one of the consumables, wherein the order processing system retrieves information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order, and

a supply system that supplies the at least one consumable based on the processed order.

- 20. (Original) The system as set forth in claim 19 wherein the order processing system determines a distribution of at least a portion of the payment based on the retrieved information.
- 21. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 20 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device and wherein the order processing system allocates the at least a portion of the payment to the identified retailer.
- 22. (Currently Amended) A method for ordering at least one consumable for a peripheral device, the method comprising:

submitting an order with the <u>peripheral</u> device for the at least one consumable for the <u>peripheral</u> device;

processing the order for the at least one consumable, wherein the processing comprises retrieving information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order; and determining a distribution of at least a portion of a payment for the order based

- 23. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 22 further comprising indicating a status of the at least one consumable, wherein the submitting is based on the indicating.
- 24. (Previously Presented) The method as set forth in claim 22 further comprising supplying the at least one consumable based on the processed order.
- 25. (Currently Amended) The method as set forth in claim 22 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device.

on the retrieved information.

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26. (Currently Amended) The method as set forth in claim 25 wherein the distributing further comprises allocating the at least a portion of the payment to the retailer that sold the peripheral device.

27. (Currently Amended) A computer readable medium having stored thereon instructions for ordering at least one consumable for a <u>peripheral</u> device which when executed by a processor, causes the processor to perform the steps of:

submitting an order with the <u>peripheral</u> device for the at least one consumable for the device;

processing the order for the at least one consumable, wherein the processing comprises retrieving information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order; and determining a distribution of at least a portion of a payment for the order based on the retrieved information.

- 28. (Original) The medium as set forth in claim 27 further comprising indicating a status of the at least one consumable, wherein the submitting is based on the indicating.
- 29. (Original) The medium as set forth in claim 27 further comprising supplying the at least one consumable based on the processed order.
- 30. (Currently Amended) The medium as set forth in claim 27 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device.
- 31. (Currently Amended) The medium as set forth in claim 30 wherein the distributing further comprises allocating the at least a portion of the payment to the retailer that sold the peripheral device.
- 32. (Currently Amended) A system for ordering at least one consumable for a peripheral device, the system comprising:

an ordering system that submits an order with the device for the at least one consumable for the <u>peripheral</u> device;

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a processing system that processes the order for the at least one consumable, wherein the order processing system retrieves information about the <u>peripheral</u> device that placed the order; and

a payment distribution system that determines a distribution of at least a portion of a payment for the order based on the retrieved information.

- 33. (Original) The system as set forth in claim 32 further comprising an indication system that indicates a status of the at least one consumable, wherein the submitting is based on the indicating.
- 34. (Original) The system as set forth in claim 32 further comprising a supply system that supplies the at least one consumable based on the processed order.
- 35. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 32 wherein the retrieved information identifies a retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device.
- 36. (Currently Amended) The system as set forth in claim 35 wherein the distributing further comprises allocating the at least a portion of the payment to the retailer that sold the <u>peripheral</u> device.